(*a*) the amount spent on behalf of the said Committee;

(*b*) whether any final report has been submitted thereon by the Committee; and

(*c*) if the answer to part (*b*) is in the negative, the reasons for the delay?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The amount disbursed so far is Rs. 1,361-26-7 and a sum of Rs. 448-22-3 has still to be paid.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) This question does not arise in view of the answer to part (*b*).

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): In regard to the answer to part (b), may I know whether the Government have passed final orders?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): It is under reference to the Director of Public Instruction.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether final orders would be issued at least before the re-opening of the schools?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): No promise could be held out in regard to the time that it may take. We cannot say exactly what time it will take. The Director's report has to come.

Bathing Tank at Perumbavur.

197 **MR. C. P. TARAKAN** (*Kunnatnad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they are aware of the scarcity of water at Perumbavur during the hot months;

(*b*) whether they are aware of the fact that there are no facilities for bathing in Perumbavur for all classes of people other than caste-Hindus; and

(*c*) whether they will consider the necessity for constructing a tank at Perumbavur?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) and (*b*) The information is noted.

(*c*) This will be enquired into.

Particulars re clerks in the offices of the Commissioner and the District Superintendents of Police.

198 **MR. G. NARAYANA PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement containing the following information:—

(*a*) the pay of the clerks of the last grade in the offices of the Commissioner and District Superintendents of Police;

(*b*) the number of vacancies that have occurred in this grade during the last ten years (1093-1102) in the Commissioner's office;

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